

**Amendments to the Specification:**

1. Below the title, insert the following:

**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application claims priority to European Patent Application 66110542.0, filed on June 1, 1999 and now abandoned.

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

**Field of Invention**

2. Below line 7 on page 1, insert the following:

**Description of the Related Art**

3. Below line 2 of page 3 insert the following:

**BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**

4. Below line 24 on page 6 insert the following:

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS**

5. Below line 6 on page 7 insert the following:

**DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION**

6. Please replace lines 1-3 of page 19 with the following:

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Amend line 20 of page 19 as follows:

Figure 4